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ADDENDUM TO THE NORTH SAN JOSÉ DEVELOPMENT POLICIES UPDATE FINAL PROGRAM ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT (SCH #2004102067) FOR IRIS CHANG MEMORIAL PARK

Pursuant to Section 15164 of the CEQA Guidelines, the City of San José has prepared an Addendum to the North San José Development Policies Update Final Program Environmental Impact Report (SCH #2004102067/City Council Resolution No. 72768, certified on June 21, 2005) prepared for the North San José Area Development Policy because minor changes made to the project that are described below do not raise new issues about the significant impacts on the environment.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION

File Number and Project Name: PP16-087 Iris Chang Memorial Park

The construction and operation of a 2.61-acre park with six sculptures, landscaping, paths, seating areas, water fountains, bike racks, and trash receptacles.

Location: Eastern end of Epic Way, adjacent to Coyote Creek, southeast of River Oaks Parkway and Seely Avenue in San José, California.

Council District: 4

Assessor's Parcel Number: 097-15-038

The environmental impacts of this project were addressed by a Final Program EIR entitled, "North San José Area Development Policies Update Final Program EIR," (NSJDP FPEIR) and findings were adopted by City Council Resolution No. 72768 on June 21, 2005 (SCH #2004102067). Specifically, the following impacts were reviewed and found to be adequately considered by the EIR:

		⊠Biological Resources	
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2	Energy	Noise	□ Public Facilities & Service Systems
	Geology and Soils		⊠Growth Inducing
	Hazardous Materials	⊠Air Quality	Cumulative Impacts

ANALYSIS

The proposed project is within the scope of the full build out of the North San José area which was analyzed in the NSJDP FPEIR. Given the proposed project description and knowledge of the project area, the City has concluded that the proposed project would not result in any new impacts that have not been previously disclosed; nor would it result in a substantial increase in the magnitude of any significant environmental impact previously identified in the previously

certified NSJDP EIR. For these reasons, a supplemental or subsequent EIR is not required and an addendum to the NSJDP FPEIR has been prepared and the City of San José may take action on the proposed project as being within the scope of the Final Program EIR.

This addendum will not be circulated for public review, but will be attached to the NSJDP FPEIR, pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15164(c).

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10/14/2016 Date Meenaxi R. P.
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Attached: Iris Chang Memorial Park Addendum to the Final Program Environmental Impact Report for the North San José Development Policies Update, dated October 2016.